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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2006, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 5, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

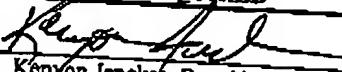
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2006. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2006, applicants may wish to consider filing a continuation prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.536. UPTO-SB/29 instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Prosecution Application in .USC, Final Rule, 63 Fed. Reg. 30003 (May 16, 2000). Interim Rule, 63 Fed. Reg. 14653 (Mar. 26, 2000), 1713 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 17 (Apr. 11, 2000), which eliminated RCE rule 42.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
 - a. Previously submitted
 - i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on 6/22/06
 - ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
 - iii. Other
 - b. Enclosed
 - i. Amendment/Reply
 - ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - iv. Other
2. Miscellaneous
 - a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(d) required)
 - b. Other
3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 which the RCE is filed.
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 - i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
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 - iii. Other
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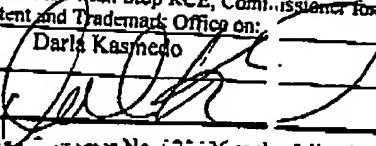
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